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| | | INTIMATIONS | AUCTIONA. | INTIMATIONS. | INTIMATIONS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS J |
| SH:PP:NG | INTIMATIONS EXAMPLES OF THE COST | TEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE Co. | PUBLIC AUCTION. | GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED. | DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA. | CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION, |
| March 26, Bengloe, British steamer, 1,158, | OF ABBURANCE TO A MAN AGED :0 | This Company is writing Endowment Policies on the lives of Children upon very | HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction. | NOTICE is heroby given that the AD- JOURNED GENERAL MEETING | MANUFACTURERS or | ON FRIDAY NEXT, the 4th April, being GOOD FRIDAY, this Office will be CLOSED |
| Farquhar, Saigon 22nd March, Rica.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. | £1.000 STG. payable at death, would cost at the rate of | favourable terms; no Medical Examination required. Should the Child not reach the | the 29th March, 1890, at Noon, at | or SHAR EHOLDERS will take place at the Hongkong Hotel, THIS DAY (FRIDAY). | AERATED WATERS. | to the transaction of all Public Business, but |
| March 26, Marik, German str., 704. C. Hunde- wadt, Haiphong 23rd March, General.—A. | £ 6 18 0 per quarter (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life or £ 9 11 6 ,, (b) If premiums are limited. | stipulated age, all promisens received will be | Central, The ENTIRE SHOP FIXTURES and | i . Haneral Manager. | We devote special attention to this part of our business, and our process ensures a perfect filtration and purification of the water, and | proceed as usual. |
| March 27, Asagao, Japanese steamer, 1,521, H. | or £11 4 6 (c) If premiums are limited | | FITTINGS, MIRRORS, DRESSING GLASSES and FURNITURE, &c. | Hongkong, 28th March, 1890. [701] EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, | thorough saturation with Gas. Our plant comprises some of the largest and | for Kowloon and District |
| Selek, Nagasaki 22nd March, Coal.—H. U. JEFFRIES. | or £13 0 0 ,, (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or | a2414] Agents, Hongkong. | TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. | LIMITED. | finest machines ever shipped from England, and embraces a combination of all the most modern improvements for filling corked bottles or sy- | Kowloon, 28th March, 1890. [741] RONGKONG MASONIC CLUB. |
| March 27, NARTER LE HAVRE, French steamer, 1,182, Jaffry, Bangkok 18th March, Rice | at death if previous. | BAN (S AND LAND CO. | Hongkong, 27th March, 1890. 1729 | NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY MEET- ING OF SHAREHOLDERS. | phone, Our machinery is fitted with tindined tubing, and the fact that our Waters are free | LIMITED. |
| March 27, CICERO, British str., 1,080, Arron | A year's navment of premium secures a | W. T. C. | | NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA- ORDINARY MEETING of the | from metallic or any other contamination is certified by Messre. Hassall & Clayton, Analysts to the City of London | of SHABEHOLDERS will be field in the |
| General.—Woo KEE & Co. | proportionate part of Sum Assured as explained in Prospectur. For instance after five years a man Assured under plan b would be entitled | RESERVE FUND 4690,000 | THE Undersigned has received instructions | SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 29th day of | The following are manufactured daily: | Club House, on THURSDAY, April 3rd, at 5 n.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of |
| March 27, Store Noudiske, Danish str., 596, E. Suenson, Nagasaki 17th March.—G. N. | to a Free Paid-up Policy for 5/20ths of Sum Assured, viz., 2250, should be wish to discontinue | COURT OF DIRECTORS:- | the 29th March, 1890, commencing at 2.30 p.m., | March, 1890, at 0.30 P.M., when certain resolutions necessary to carry out the Reconstruction of the Company (passed at the | ABRATED WATER, GINGER ALE, SODA WATER, SELTZER, LEMONADE, LITHIA, | the Directors and a Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 1889. Hongkong, 28th-March, 1890 |
| TELEGRAPH Co. March 27. STRATHLEVEN. British str., 1 590. | future payments. The same provisons if commenced at age 40 n. b. would cost respectively (a) £8.15.0, | T E Device For. A. McConschie, Hec- | A VERY WELL ASSORTED INVOICE OF TROPICAL TWEEDS and COATINGS | Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders held. | TONIC, SARSAPARILLA. | THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON |
| ADAMSON, BELL & Co. | Note.—It is an advantage to effect Provisions | W. H. Forbes, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. S. C. Michaelson, Esq. | suitable for Spring Wear and cut into sait lengths. | confirmation as Special Resolutions. Copies of these resolutions have been forwarded to the | Our Aerated Sarsaparilla is prepared from a fluid extract of Red Jamaica: Sarsaparilla made in our own laboratory, and is not merely | LIMITED. |
| March 27, Taichiow, British str., 862, Unsworth, Bangkok 20th March, Rico.—Yuen | of this nature early in life. By delay the rate of subscription increases: Death may occur before the Provision is effected, or Health may | B. Layton, Esq. D. B. Sassoon, Esq. CHIEF MANAGEL. | Terms of Sale.—Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT, | Registered Shareholders in the Company, and unregistered holders of shares can obtain copies | a flavoured water as so many brands of this nopular beverage are | |
| FAT HONG | fail and render the life ineligible for Assurance. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., | Hongkong—G. E. Noble., Esq. MANAGEE. Shanghai—John Walter, Esq. | Hongkong, 26th March, 1890. [723 | on application at the Office of Messrs. GIBE, LIVINGSTON & Co. By Order of the Board of Directors. | Nos. 22 x 24; QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. | THE THIRD ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the |
| CLEARANCES AT THE MARBOUR MARTER'S OFFICE. | STANDARD LIFE OFFICE, S90-4a Hongkong. | LONDON BANKEBS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. | PUBLIC AUCTION | CHAS. F. HARTON, Secretary. | WANTED-For the S. S. "BATAVIA," a STEWARDESS. One who has | HALL At Twelve o'clock (noon non THURSDAY, |
| Don Juan, Spanish str., for Manila. | FOR SALE | On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily belance. | EIGHT BUILDING LOTS AND OF VALUABLE HOUSE PROPERTY AT | Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. 654 H. G. BROWN AND COMPANY, LIMITED. | been at Sea preferred. Apply to 18. STANLEY STREET. | the 10th April next, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. |
| Avochie, British str., for Saigou. Canton, British str., for Swatow. | SACCONE'S SHERRIES—Helicon, Man- zanilla, and Amontillado. | On Fixed Lieposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cont. per Annum. | YAU-MA-TI. FIGHE Undersigned has received instructions | NOMICE DO CHAPENOLDERS | Hongkong. 26th March, 1890. [72] A YOUNG WOMAN of good Family | EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary, |
| OFPARTURES. | CLARETS.—L. C. & Co.'s Cotes du Bourg and Medoc, Adet Saward & Co.'s Medoce Haut | LOCAL BUILD DISCOURAGE | to Sell by Public Auction. TO-MORROW | "THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL | A desires a position as GOVERNESS to Young Children between the ages of 6 | THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM- |
| March 27, Swiff, British gunboat, for Canton March 27, Taisand, Brit. str., for Whampon. | Talence, St. Emilion, Margaux, Chateau La Rose and Lafitte. CALIFORNIA WINES, Red and White. | CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange | FOM 1000 Titistic Troc 140: 200 of 100 schools | In the above Company will be need to the state | and 14. | PANY, LIMITED. IN LIQUIDATION. |
| March 27, Kwang-Lee, Chinese steamer. for Whampon. | PORTS,—Cutler Palmer & Co.'s and L. C. & Co.'s "Red Seal." | business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief commercial piaces in Europe, India, Australia, | Police Station. | at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and State- | Care of A merican Consulate, Manila. | NERAL MEETING of the above named |
| March 27, HOLYROOD, British str., for Chefoo. March 27, THALES, British str., for Taiwanfoo | BURGUNDIES, HOCKS, Chambertin, Chablia Hockheimer | America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE, | as it has been sold by the Government on the lith September, 1888. | ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th to the 31st | TANTED A JUNIOR CLERK for an | Company will be held at the Head Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, at Noos, on THURSDAY, the 10th April, 1890, when the |
| March 27, CANTON, British str., for Shanghai. March 27, Avocute. British str., for Saigon. | BRANDIES—Courvoisier's, Heanessy's, Exshaw's, and Very Old 1848. WHISKIE:—The "Pall Mall," Napier John- | Hongkoug, 14th March, 1890. 110 | SEVEN KOWLOON INLAND LOTS No. 824 to 330 of 750 square feet each situated | March, 1890, both days inclusive. | to a later of the same professor | Liquidators will lay before the Shareholders and leadings and the |
| PASSENGERS. | stone's, Dunville's Bourbon, and L. C. & Co.'s GIN—Swaine Boords' "Old Tom," Van | NOTICE. | on Reclamation Street. Crown Rent. Teu- dollars each. These Lots will be sold under the | General Managers. | Care of this Paper. | manner in which the winding up has been conducted since the commencement of the winding up until the 31st December, 1889. |
| Per Cicero, str., from Saigon Mrs. Adam and child. | Hobokeon's, Plymouth. Old Jamaica, "Red Heart" RUM. LIQUEURS and BITTERS. | SAVINGS BANK. | Government on the 19th November, 1888. | NOTICE. | Hongkong, 25th March, 1890. [718] WANTED. | The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th instant to the |
| Per Diamante, str., for Manila.—Messra P | Bass's Ale and Guiness's Stout "Bulldog." | 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Connection on their premises in | Kowleen Inland Let No. 107. with One | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | CMPLOYMENT, by a Young Man, in an Office or Shop. Speaks several Con- | 10th proximo, both days inclusive. By Order, H. HARMS. |
| Herbe, W. Wegdin, A. Beaski, O. Schutz, W. G. Bargmann, B. Mitjans, and C. Cucullu From Manila For Amoy Revs. G. Surno, B. | Beer Knickerbooker Lager, Japan Brewery | Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 | the A. I in Manual a Street at the Book of the | MEETING of the above Company will | tinental languages fluently. Lately arrived | for the Liquidators. Hongkong, 28th March, 1890. |
| Saes, N. Fernandes, Sisters R. de Maria, M. Engiacia, M. Consolacion, M. Pilar, and 10 | 6 AYALA & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. | 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor | Charles of the Twenty fine has now and | be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on WEDNES- DAY, the 2nd April, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement | Daily Press Office. 715 | TO LET. |
| Chinese. | | 1 2.100 or more at their credit may at their option | the Purchase money to be paid immediately after the Sale, and the Balance on completion of | E 1890. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | ONE, TWO, or THREE ROOMS, Robinson Road. |
| The British steamer Strathleven, from Saigo 22nd March reports had light northerly wind | A moviesn Challenge Hanius. | transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang- hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. | Transfer, all expenses of transfer to be paid by | General Manager | PUBLIC AUCTION. | Apply to P. N. N., Care of Daily Press. |
| and smooth sen to Paracels; from thence to por strong N.E. winds and overcast weather wit high head sea. | | 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors or their | all faults and errors of description on the fall of | THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED. | THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on | Hongkong, 28th March, 1890. |
| The British steamer Cicero, from Saigon 220 | d Guitars Picciolos. | taily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass Book, which must be presented with | on the day of the Sale at 3.30 p.m. | OTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN- ARY GENERAL MEETING of the | THURSDAY, the 2rd April 1890, commencing at 2.30 p.m. | PERSEVERANCE LODGE. OF |
| March, reports from Cape St. James to Parace had light wind and smooth sea. From Parace to Ladrones strong N.E. winds and high con | g Fitting Fictions. | each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass- | P. RAPP, Auctioneer. | above Company will be held at its Registered Office. No. 36. Queen's Road Central (over the | WITHOUT RESERVE, | HONGKONG, No. 1165. |
| fused sea. Detained 12 hours on account of foir Ladrones. | Violin Strings, Banjo Strings. Guitar Strings. | Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of | | Hongkong Dispussary), on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, to | Messrs, GATE & Co., | A NEMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS |
| The British steamer Taichiow, from Bangko 20th March, reports from Bangkok to Parace | k Bioysie Rells. | January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Sank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank | OP | gether with a Statement of Accounts to 31st | Well-Known First-Class SILK, DRESS | the 28th inst, at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. |
| light to moderate S. and N., N.E. winds and fin weather. From Paracels to port fresh E. an N.E. winds with heavy N.E. swell and very hig | d | Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China | THE SHANGHAL HORSE BAZAAL | The REGISTER of SHARES will be ELOSED from TUESDAY, the lat proximod to SATURDAY, the 5th prox, both days in | First-Class MILLINERY, REAL LACE VELVET - VELVETEENS, SILK HO | Hong Roug, 250d |
| onfused seas, dull and gloomy weather. The British steamer Bonglos, from Saige | Boys' Cricket Balls. | 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the Depositor of his duly appointed Agent, and the production of | instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, | olusive. HENRY HUMPHREYS, | SIERY, FLANNEL, HABERDASHERY and every description of ARTICLES for LADIES OUTFITS. | Important Annuncement |
| 22nd March, reports from Cape St. James 1 Pedaran had fresh breeze at E.N.E. and mode | Lens, &c., complete. | his Pass-Book are necessary. For the Hondkong and Shanghai Bank | the Ynd April, | Acting Secretary Hongkong, 24th March, 1890. [71] | the above will be on Thursday next. Order. | LAST NIGHT! LAST NIGHT! |
| ate sea; thence calms and variable winds unt within 200 miles of Hongkong; strong-easter | il Rectigraph Lenses and Shutters. | ing Corporation, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. | RACE PONIES:— "ENTERTAINER," winner of the Hong | GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED. | may be left with the Auctioneer. Terms of Salk.—Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT. | Unabated Success of the Renowned and Oulv. TUDSON'S SURPRISE PARTY. |
| winds and thick rainy weather to port. VESSELS IN DOCK. | WALTER W. BREWER. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL | Hongkong, 1st January, 1889. [1] | kong Derby, 1890. "ENTICER," winner of the Canton Cup and Senery Stakes. Hongkong Meeting, 1890. | O. CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that | Hongkong, 28th March, 1899. [74- | FANTASTIC FURIOUS FUN MAKERS. |
| ABERDEEN DOCKS.— KOWLOON DOCKS.—Steamer Kiangeboy | | AUTHORISED CAPITAL | "SUSEWIND," well-known Race Pony. "GRIDIRON" | by the Articles of Association the Fouri- | FOR HOIHOW AND SINGAPORE. | THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING; THE 28TH MARCH, 1890. Grand fashionable performance and entire |
| H.M.S. Alectity, Chinese cruiser Quangebintener Formosa. Cosmopolitan Dock.—Steamer Kong Ben | HE New Stem Winder and Enameled Dia | 0 100 000 | | per Share (on Shares not fully paid) is due of the 31st of March, 1890. This Instalment wi be received at the Registered Office of the above | "APENRADE." | change of programme, which will be presented |
| VISITORS AT HOTELS. | WATERBURY WATCH. Series J.—For Gentlemen, or large size. | Head Office40. THREADNREDLE STREET. | Races in Shanghai and Tientsin. "SONNENSTRAHL." winner of Seven | Company, No. 62, Queen's Road Contral, Hong at kong. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. pe | hhove Ports TO-MORROW, the 29th inst., a Eleven A.M. | ". t |
| HONGKONG HOTEL.—Messrs. E. E. Abbanson.Clarence Barker, P. W. Bonder, Conra | di. Series L.—For Ladies, or small size. Winds in less than a dozen turns; Jewelled | | Races and many Champions in Tientsin. "BLAZER," winner of Hongkong Ladie | Annum will be charged on Unpaid instalment | For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. | Hudson's Banjoistic Effusious, &c. PLANTATION PASTIMES, |
| Commander R. M. Bunbury, R.N., Mrs. Bubury, Mrs. Cox and 2 Daughters, M. Craigie, Miss Dennis, Mr. Glyn, Ho | rs. \$4.75 latest improvements. A perfect and | THE BANK receives money on Deposit | La la trainina de la companya de la | General Manager. TARIK PLANTING COMPANY. | Hongkong, 28th March, 1890. [73] DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. | THE BALLOON ASCENT |
| jean, Robt. Howie, M. M. Kuhn, Mrs. W. | M. ble and accurate, | Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection and Transacts Banking and Agency Busines | Shanghai 1888. | LINITED. | FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW | 75,000 feet descent from the Clouds without the |
| Lang, Mesars. Ma, E. Mettlerkamp, Mudto J. D. Nimmo, C. Percival, J. W. Price, Rembie inski, R. B. Rigbye, R. W. Rimingto | S. best form of the original Waterbury : offere | 6 concretty on terms to be had on application. | Tientsin. | of \$5 per Share on the 4,000 Share numbered 1001/5000 is PAYABLE to the | " NAMOA." | GILBERT'S SEVEN AGES OF MAN. Miss Lily C. Baber will sing "Poor Wandering One" from the "Pirates of Penzance" and |
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| Stow. Capt. A. B. Thomson, Messrs. Geo. Tomkinson, Otto Troger, W. F. Tyler, R. Wright, Prince: Min Yong Yek. | A. THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA H. Sole Agents in Japan, China, Corea, Hongkong & Macso. | Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annua. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annua on the daily balance. | The state of the s | paid on said date are liable to interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum. The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSE | For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., | Speciality—"The Emphring Strong." |
| VICTORIA HOTEL.—Dr. Antelo, Mr. J. Bar Miss Baber, Capt, J. Brun, Miss Ada Clemen | No. 10, Queen's Road Central. | Agency of the National Live Assurance | FRATTE The Sandania S. Law assessed instruction | ns from 7th April to 17th April, 1890. LABUK PLANTING Co., Ld. | General Managers. Hongkong, 28th March, 1890. | THE MAD HOUSEWIFE. |
| Capt. van Corbach, Messrs. Ch. Da Cos Davis, Miss Emily Delafield, Mrs. Frider | ta. FOR SALE AT HALF-PRICE. | SOCSETY. H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch | the 9th April, 1890, at Noon, at his Sales | TURNER & Co., General Managers. | FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. | OR MIDNIGHT INTRUDER. |
| E. Delafield, Mrs. Lewis L. Delafield, Mrs. Eichel, Messrs. Geo. A. Forsaith, H. G. be | A HANDSOME AMERICAN MANUA | L HE HONGKONG LAND INVEST | Rooms, Duddell Street, (Unless Previously Disposed of BY | Hongkong, 17th marcu, 1380. | HE Steamship | And remember the above will be presented for this night only. |
| and Mrs. Hudson, Capt. J. H. Hoar, J. E. B. Jorey, Dr. and Mrs. Kors. M | 188 CHURCE. | | THE WRECK OF THE BRITISH STEAMSHIP | DE FILIPINAS. | Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 21 | nn i Daa ing na ang mang ang mang mang mang mang m |
| Linton, Messra. S. D. Martino, Maitland, F. Petersen, Miss L. Roberts, Messra E. M. Ro | B. DIMENSIONS.—Length, 4 feet 11 inches | SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL | 8 O O C H O W, O OI 326 Tone Net Register, as she lies on t | MANILA. | April, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., | THOS. P. HUDSON. Proprietor & Manager. To-morrow Evening Farewell Appearance. |
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norrow Evening Farewell Appearance. MONSTER CARNIVAL PROGRAMME First Time of Our Burlesque Opera, KILL TROVATORE, Se., &c. Hongkong, 27th March, 1890. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND YOKO-

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Hongkong, March 28th, 1890.

The vote for the increase in the military contribution was passed by the Legislative Council on Wednesday without opposition. The unofficial members agreed that the demand was just and reasonable, the official members agreed that the promised increase in the garrison should be supplied, and there was therefore a charming unanimity about the proceedings. There were, however, some passages in the Secretary of State's despatch to which the Hon. A. P. MACE wen took exception, namely, those referring to the relative amount of taxation per head paid for defences in England and in this Colony. this point he was met by the Colonial Treasurer, who had decidedly the best of the argument. Apart from the main question. which was really cut and dried, the most interesting point in the debate was the reference to the commercial position of the Colony made by Mr. MACEWEN. According to the hon gentleman, the Colony has lately suffered what may be called a perpendicular The depression of which so much is heard is mostly on the surface. There is considerable depression amongst share gamblers, no doubt, but fortunately the and legitimate business of the Colony decadence. A few years ago the growth of to great activity in building, with the con- effect is very striking, and for some time last sequence that the accommodation has now more than overtaken the population. This less the display. process has been repeated several times in the past history of the Colony and will doubtless be repeated many times in the future. At present it is said there are two thousand empty houses in the Colony, and shops in good situations for which \$120 s month was asked some time ago cannot now find tenants at \$80. In a year or two, however, the population will again overtake the accommodation, empty houses

will become few and far between, and when

will again set in and there willbe another feverish rush to build,

Mr. MacEwen says he is very glad rentsare being reduced, because as scon as we get rents down the probability is the population will again increase. We share the hou. gentleman's satisfaction. High rents, however good they may be for landlords, are a serious obstacle to the real progress of the Colony, increasing the cost of labour and preventing the growth of industries. W heard the other day of a capitalist who visited Hongkong with a view to the estab. lishment of a manufactory, but he found the section. cost of labour, owing to the high rents the working people have to pay, would be s great that it would be impossible to carry out

The policy introduced by Sir WILLIAM Des Voux of allowing purchasers of land to commute a portion of the premium for an increased annual rental will do something to facilitate the acquisition of land and add to the permanent revenue of the Colony. We khould be glad, however, to see the letting Hourgeois. Public Education; Barbey, Navy; was so carried away by Miss Carvalho's singing a23 of land on 999 years' leases altogether Yves Guyot, Public Works; Jules Roche, Com- that at the last note he joined in, doubtless to

done away with, and the tenure of town lots merce; Develle, Agriculture; Etienne, Under- his own satisfaction, but hardly to that of the assimilated to that of rural building lots. The Secretary of State. Crown rents on expiry of the 75 years would then be subject to revision. The premiums paid for such leases would of course be smaller than those now paid, but this would be made up for many times over in the future. Government was passed by 318 votes against 78. chorus, Mrs. G. S. Coxon sang Tosti's "Good-Mr. MACE wen is apprehensive as to the Co-Ionial revenue being maintained. With the amount of land belonging to the Crown it is unnecessary to entertain-any uneasiness on is replete with the best Machinery, embodying this score; in fact, if the Crown lands had been properly administered from the founda-The greatest attention has been paid to tion of the Colony taxation of any kind steamer arrived on Tuesday night, having the best of the items. Mrs. Coxon possesses would in course of time have become unnec- left Nagasaki on the 21st instant. cessary, as the income from land would

would have reached a point when it would have been more than sufficient to The purest ingredients only are used, and pay all expenses of Government. It is impossible to rectify the mistakes of the past, but it would be easy to prevent their per-We continue to supply large bottles as petuation. In any case, however, the Colony, with the amount of land still in its ruptcy and will not be seriously affected by

a decline in the opium revenue. Mr. MacEwen in the early part of his speech expressed his intention of proving 215,000. We look in vain for the proof. Government Gazette, in which the population is stated, in the mortality returns, as 195,000. This, however, is only an estimate, based on the calculation that the ratio of the annua increase has been the same since the census. of 1881 that it was between that and the previous census. There is a very general im-SELTZER WATER pression that the ratio has largely increased. No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty: found to be greater than the official estimate. for any other-purpose than that of containing We believe this will be found to be the case when the census is taken in Hongkong next year, and that at the present time 215,000 Hongkong, China, and Manila. [2-19] is nearer the mark than 195,000. As to the returns of passengers arriving and and covered with prickly heat. They at once leaving in junks, to which Mr. MACEWEN a ldressed." The Editor," and those on business. The referred, they are, we believe, worthless. able to give, warm baths being provided for them The hon-gentleman might do some good if and clothing supplied. he were to put a question in Council as to The story told by the three girls is that they Their Royal Highnesses will be invited to land how the information for these returns is collected and whether any steps are taken t check its accuracy. The statement th year than arrived clearly must be wrong, and

> should give misleading information. H.M.S. Swift left for Canton yesterday.

it is always undesirable that official returns

course to day commencing at 5 p.m. On our fourth page to-day we publish the

usual weekly instalment of our serial tale. Owing to-the inability of the Club to raise a team, the proposed Cricket Match, H. K. C. C. v. irmy and Navy, bas fallen through.

The French transport Annantite, which ar rived the other day at Haiphong, brought out fifty couples of carrier pigeons for use by the

The Agents (Mesers, Butterfield & Swire) inform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ulysses, from Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday mornng for this port.

The Agents (Mesers, Adamson, Bell & Co.) inform us that the "Shire" line steamer Glamorganshire, from London, left Singapore for be opened this morning at ten o'clock. The this port on Wednesday.

Captain Hastings, Assistant Harbour Master has been requested to not as Commissioner here for the Exhibition to be held at Jamaica next year. We have to acknowledge receipt from him of a copy of the Regulations, etc.

According to the Courrier d'Haiphong the English engineer who had arrived from Hong. kong to examine the coal deposits on General Schoolelin's concession, left for Dao-son on the 11th instant, with an escort of twenty five Hall on Wednesday evening by the pupils of

In the Lawn Tennis championship competi tion G. L. Stewart yesterday afternoon best L. far from justifying such a strong expression, scratched to W. H. Wallace. This afternoon (weather permitting) E. J. Coxon plays W. H Wallace in the semi-final.

The Courrier d' Haiphong expresses its satisfaction that the Messageries Maritimes have decided to maintain a regular weekly service be-

Last night there was a preliminary trial of night the street in front of the dispensary was almost blocked by the crowd who assembled to

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."] London, 24th March: LORD SALISBURY.

Lord Salisbury has gone to the Riviera for his health. THE EMPEROR AND THE

BISMARCKS. Prince Bismarck has been offered and dethe pressure becomes goute a rise of rents plined a Dukedom.

Count Herbert Bismarck in the interim has been appointed Minister of Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, 25th March. It is now stated that a violent rupture beorded the latter's retirement.

I FROM THE "COURSIER D'HAMPHONG." PARIS, 12th March. THE FRENCH BUDGET.

of the budget and 11 hostile.

THE LABOUR CONFERENCE, Deputy; Linder, Inspector-General of Mines and Deluhaye, a working mechanic

PARIS, 17th March. THE NEW FRENCH MINISTRY. Paris, 18th March.

EIGHT PERSONS SUFFOCATED ON

nese steamer Fushiki Maru on Wednesday, The some days a bad smell had been noticed in the ongineers mess-room, which gradually grew worse, and was attributed to dead rats. After a long search it was on Wednesday traced to a compartment above one of the water tanks, alongside the engine room. On the manhole being opened a rush of foul air took place and some naked bodies were seen. The coal in the main hold was quickly removed to get at the sliding door to the tank, and when this was openpossession, is very far removed from bank- ed a horrible sight was revealed. Eight dead bodies and four still alive were disclosed, all completely naked, their clothes having been discarded on account of the intolerable heat. The compartment is about 3 feet high and 2 feet wide later on that the population of the Colony the purpose of getting at the tank for examination purposes. In this cramped place twelvepersons, one a man and the others women, The hon, gentleman refers, it is true, to the had been stowed for a week. Japanese women are not allowed to leave their own country without official permission, but the demand for them for immoral purposes is so great that frequent attempts are made to smuggle them on board steamers. That appears to have been the object in the present case, the party of ten girls in charge of a man and an old woman being stowed away, in the hole described, where there was neither ventilation nor light. They This opinion may be wrong; it is only an had a supply of food and water with them, so opinion, but it is confirmed by the fact that that starvation was not added to their other whenever a census is taken in a growing sufferings, but that any of them should have place the population is almost invariably survived a week's confinement in such a place is simply wonderful.... The man was one of those who succumbed, but the old woman survived. The bodies of the dead were all in a more or less advanced stage of decomposition and the atmosphere was stifling. The survivors were in a shocking condition, their bodies being swollen received such attention as those on board were

were induced to leave their homes by the man and woman by promises of obtaining good situations in Hongkong, and on arrival at Nagasaki 15,000 more passengers left by junks last the steamer. They got into the compariment by the sliding door from the hold, before the cargo was fully loaded, and until the door was closed they had no idea of the sufferings they were to undergo. Afterwards they found themselves literally buried alive without any power of escape or of attracting attention. There will be a game of Polo on the Race. It has been impossible to ascertain at what particular time the eight deceased persons severally succumbed, but the survivors state that the heat of the iron plates became so great that the living lay across the bedies of the dead in order to secure

Some difficulty was experienced in obtain ing an order for the burial of the deceased, owing to the uncertainty as to whether the deaths had opcurred in British waters or on the high seas; in the latter case, the vessel being Japanese, the local authorities would have had no jurisdiction, It was finally decided, however, that an inquest should be held. Captain Rumsey accordingly viewed the bodies yesterday afternoon and they were afterwards buried. The inquest will four survivors have been sent to the Tung Wah Hospital, where they are detained under the orders of Registrar-General:

AMATEUR CONCERT IN ST. ANDREW'S HALL.

A concert in aid of the funds of the Alice Memorial Hospital was given in St. Andrew's Signor Cattaneo assisted by Mrs. Gillies and Mr. Von Wille. The popularity of the concerts given under Signor Cattaneo's direction never Hallward, the score being 6-4, 6-4. The first fails to draw good houses, and St. Andrew's Albert Road, and Upper Albert Road. drop. The circumstances, we think, are very round is now completed, G. S. Coren having Hall was crowded on Wednesday evening; towards the conclusion of the programme sitting room being extremely difficult to find. These concerts are so good in almost every way, that we venture to point out two little defects to the management which might be remedied easily Colony does not live altogether by gam-bling. Tightness of money will at any give our Haiphong friends a more regular mail might be paid to ventilation, the Hall on time bring about a depression in the stock service, as the letters by the English mail will Wednesday becoming uncomfortably hot as the evening were on, and we would suggest a rather more liberal provision of programmes. A feast, suffers to the same extent. Nor is the de- the gas illuminations at the Hongkong Dis- whether musical or otherwise, is considerably cline in rents to be taken as a sure sign of penuary, which delighted a great crowd of Chi- more enjoyable when one has the bill-of fare beed by the "V." and "R," and in the verandah on the population outstripped the growth of the top storey is the racing crest of the popular preciative and particularly demonstrative ode. house accommodation, and rents were raised owner of the V. stable, a horseshoe and V crossed. but the performers, most wisely we think; adto an abnormal height, which naturally led verandah are rows of large stars. The general down for themselves at previous concerts, and Extending from the centre pieces along each hered rigidly to the rule which they have laid no encores were given. The programme opened with the singing of the march from Foult, which was excellently rendered as regards time and unison. Miss I. d'Almada e Castro then gave a finished and artistic vocal selection from Salvator Rosa, which evoked enthusiastic plandits. Mr. Grace was in excellent voice and his streets will keep to the left-hand side of singing in the solo which he gave next, and the road. deed throughout the evening, was equal to anything we have yet heard him do. The "Angel's Berenade" by Mrs. A. G. Gordon was likewise a oreditable performance for which the was honoured with a double recall. The effect of her rendering of this song was considerably aided by the violin accompaniment of Mr. Von Troops and the Route cleared all traffic must

Guedes, Mesers. O. Lammert and G. Lammert | the Police, and no one will be permitted to come then appeared in a quartet. Both ladies within one pace behind the line of Troops when gave an excellent rendering of their parts, and Mr. G. Lammert was also heard to advanttween the Emperor and Prince Biamarck pre- age. Mr. C. Lammert was hardly up to his naual average. Mr. Lammert has a well-trained and sweet, though rather light tenor voice, but on Wednesday evening he was decidedly "throaty" and his high notes, which are usually his best lacked purity of tone. Miss Caroline de Borns Of the 33 members composing the Budget next went through a most brilliantly executed Committee 22 appear favourable to the principle pianoforte-solo. A solo on the pianoforte requires to be good indeed to make any mark in Rouvier and Le Myre de Vilers, members of such a programme as that offered, but Miss de the Committee, are charged with the Colonial Fours is a thorough mistross of the instrument and held her listeners in rapt attention throughout. The piece solected was an admirable one The delegates to the Berlin Conference are for a display of that delicacy of touch which is der's Wharf, Murray Pier, and by permission, with which the men execute this difficult branch Jules Simon and Tolain, Senators; Burdeau, so prominent a feature in Miss de Souss's play ing. Miss Edith Carvalho then again occupied the stage, this time with a solo from I Puritani, for closing the Central Fairway, and during the from his trip down the coast and around the isof difficult execution; but which received full time that they are flying no ship, junk, launch | lands. He arrived at 11.30) in the forencon on justice from the artists. The effect of Miss The following is the composition of the new' Carvalho's flux notes were, however, unfortunate-

Ministry :- Freyeinst, War, President of the ly marred by an unforeseen accident. A small flage will be hauled down and the Fairway will Council; Constant, Interior; Ribot, Foreign dog, evidently of musical tastes, managed to be re-opened to traffic. Affairs: Rouvier, Finance; Fallières, Justice; secrete himself somewhere under the seats, and other performer. The first part of the programme concluded with another well-rendered chorus by M. Freyeinet read in the Chamber a Minis- the whole of the artistes. In the second part of terial declaration on Lockroy's interpellation, the programme the classical character was rewhich was favourably received by the Rapublican lieved by the interspersement of a couple of momajority. A vote of confidence asked for by the dern drawing room ballads. After the opening bye." In noticing Mrs. Coron's first appearance some time ago on the concert stage, it was a pleasing duty to congratulate the musical force of the Colony on the addition to its ranks, and we are glad to be able to confirm the opinion A shocking discovery was made on the Japa. then expressed. Mrs. Coxon's contributions a pure soprane voice of considerable power, which she knows how to use to effect, while her distinctness of phrasing renders listening to her a pleasure. She was compelled to appear twice to bow her acknowledgments before the applause she had evoked subsided. Later in the evening, she was equally successful in a duet with Mr. Grace, who rendered her able assistance. Mrs. Humphreys was the only other exponent of the lyric side, and her effort was also worthy of the marked commend- water supply will be on throughout the City of ation it received. Miss Edith Carvalho, Mr. C. Lammert, and Mr. W. E. Crow united in a

trio from Lombardi. Miss-Carvalho's performance was again a brilliant exposition of vocal skill, and Mr. Crowls singing was pleasantly free from the slight metallic qualities which occasionally depreciate his otherwise able renditions, but Mr. Lammert, although this was an improvement on his previous effort, was still below his usually-high average. Two more items completed the excellent programme, one a masterly dust by Mrs. D. Gillies (pianoforte) and Mr. von Wille (violin) in which both performers gave evidence, as usual, of abilities of a high order, the other a vocal solo by Mrs. Guedes, ly Ravine. rendered in a manner which places her in a prominent position among mezzo-sopranes. As accompanist and director Signor Cattaneo was Street (Man Mò Temple) as able as he was indefatigable, and the Hospital should reap a large benefit from the very excellent entertainment provided.

THE VISIT OF THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT.

A Government Gazette Extraordinary con taining the following notifications was issued

The following arrangements connected with the arrival in the Colony of Their Royal Highnesses the Dake and Duchess of Connaught are published for general information :--

2.—If the steamer arrives after 9 a.m. Their Royal Highnessess will be invited to land one hour after arrival in Harbour. 3.—The arrival of the steamer in Harbour will be notified, if the Signal Station is unobscured, by a gon being fired when the Mail

enters Sulphur Channel. 4-If the Signal Station is obscured a gun will be fired twice at three minutes interval the Mail Steamer being sighted from Teim Sha

5.—Their Royal Highnesses will land at Pedder's Wharf, where they will be received by the Officer Administering the Covernment, the Civil. Naval, and Military Authorities, and such Persons as may be specially invited to at tend. The Roads from Pedder's Wherf to the City Hall, and afterwards from the City Hall to Government House, will be lined by Troops No one will be permitted to come within one pace behind the lines of Troops when Their Royal Highnesses are approaching

6.—At the presentation of the Address at the City Hall, those who desire to be present are requested to assemble before the arrival of Their Royal Highnesses. Places will be reserved for those who have been invited to attend at Ped der's Wharf.—By Command,

W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 26th March, 1890.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to direct that Monday; the Sist day of March, 1890, be observed as Public and Bank Holiday, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance 6 of 1875; on the occasion of the visit of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught to this 'colony.—By command,

W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 26th March, 1890. The following Regulations are made under

the provisions of Ordinance No. 10 of 1869:-

I.—Traffic will be stopped between Pedder's Wherf and Government House by way of Pedder's Street, Queen's Road, Murray Road

II.—At the presentation of an address : empty chairs and vehicles will be arranged by III.—All chairs and vehicles must set down and take up from the West.

PROCESSIONS. IV .- The persons forming part of any Prothe Police with reference to the regulation of

-V - All processions that may be duly authorised must, in the Queen's Road, keep to the left side of the road, so as to permit ordinary traffic passing on the other side. VI.-All persons and chairs must give way when Their Royal Highnesses and Suite are

VII.-On the night of the Illuminations no inrickshas will be allowed to pass through Wing Lok Street, Jervois Street, Bonham Strand Bonham Strand West, and Queen's Road Central, CHINESE THEATRE. VIII .- On the occasion of an Entertainment at

the Ko Shing Theatre the Queen's Road West, from Hollywood Road to Sutherland Street, will be closed to traffic. GR / EBYIT

.IX.-All passengers proceeding slong K.—Chairs will not be allowed to be carried

abreast of each other during the illuminations. XI.—All persons are required to move ou when requested by the Police to do so. XII.—No night passes will be required to be They then charged him with assaulting them subscriptions will virtually have the amount reproduced by persons conducting themselves and went to the station. He showed his badge turned to them in advertisement alone, and so

XIII.-Whenever any Route is lined by Wills, Miss Edith Carvalho, Mrs. F. D. pass ontside the Soldiers, as may be directed by His Worship dismissed the onse,

His Royal Highness is apposeding. Acting Captain Superintendent of Police.

Hongkong 26th March, 1890. 1869, the following regulations having received night and sailed down the Enlf. Up to the 6,600 tons, called the Gangoot; an ironclad gunthe approval of His Excellency the Officer Ad-present no tidings have been received of them boat of 1,600 tons, called the Grosidschii; an ministering the Government will be observed and the Leonora sailed to-day. n the occasion of the arrival of Their Royal

of-war Anchorage.

from the Harbour Office Flag staff. at the Canton and Macao Steam-boat Wharf and of drill, will be repaid by a visit to the drill

or vessel of any description may pass in or across the Royal Yacht Ubon Buratit. The river was the Central Fairway. Whon the steamer is fast to the Buoy, these

R. MUREAY RUMSEY, Ret. Com., R.N. Harbour Master, &c. Harbour Department, Hongkong, 21st March.

Fire Brigade Department. Hongkong, 25th March, 1890. Sir,-I have the honour to report that the

all occupiers of houses and others to be careful to have in immediate readiness buckets of water on the different floors of their houses. 2.—The Steam Pire Launch will be on duty in Victoria Harbour throughout the night, and for the purpose of ready recognition will be illuminated with redlanterns. 3.—On shore the general Fire Brigade ar

1.-Notices will be posted, and a house to

house distribution of them made, calling upon

rangements will remain unchanged. That is to say, the Engines will be stationed in their usual place in the Fire Brigade Station, the Fire bell will sound as usual on the alarm of Fire, and the Firemen not on Police duty will rendezvous heretofore at the Fire Brigade Station. 4.—During the night of the Illuminations the Action Captain Superintendent of Police, with the view of facilitating the movements of

the Fire Brigade, will make arrangements whereby those of the European Policemen on duty in the Central who are.Firemen shall leave their duties in the event of Fire. All off Police duty will be in Fire Brigade uniform. 5.—During the day of the illuminations the 6.—Advantage has been taken of this arrangement to select a certain number of central posts

at which men will be stationed on duty and in Fire Brigade uniform each with four hundred feet of hose and a branch pipe ready, if required, to attach the bose to the street fire plug at which they will be stationed. A large red lantern with the word "Fire Hose" in English and Chinese on it will be suspended over each of the spots where the hose is kept. 7.-The following are the stations that have

1.—Quean's Road between City Hall and Hougkong and Shanghai Bank. 2 -Clock Tower. 3.—Junction of Wyndham Street in the Glenen-

5.—Junction of Hollywood Road and Ladder

6.-Junction of Queen's Road and Cleverley 7.—Junction of Queen's Rondand Lower Lascar Road (Man On Insurance Company).

8 .- Junction of Bonham Strand and Queen's 8.—These being the arrangements I have only further to add that the main protection against fire lies with the community itself, and that while the movements of the Fire Brigade must be greatly impeded by the crowds in the streets much can be done by individuals in houses prevent such fires from occurring, and especial by having ready to hand buckets of water and appliances for throwing it .- I have the honour to be, Sir, Your most obedient Bervant.

GEO. HORSPOOL 1.—Should the steamer arrive before 9 a.m. The Hon. W. M. Deane, M.A., Acting Colonial pro Superintendeut Fire Brigade.

> In addition to the information contained the above we are informed by Captain Rumsey Harbour Master, that if the Peak is in cloud the steamer will be telegraphed from Green Island when sighted and a gun will be fired from Tsim-sha-tsui, and the distance signal flag will be hoisted at the flag-staff signifying her distance off Green Island at that time. During the passage of the steamer through the fairway the fairway will be lined with steam launches, and the route from the steamer to the wharf will be lined on the East side with boats from H. M. Fleet and West by steam-lauuches. The steamer is expected to arrive about 8 a m. The Royal party will land in the Victoria, and to avoid socident it is reuested that the attending launches will remain at their posts until Their Royal Highnesses as the greatest joker among the English clergy. Patna (New) \$500 per chest have disembarked at Pedder's Wharf. Masters of vessels are requested to dress their ships with | man of his generation. Nothing was sacred fisgs on Monday, and in connection with the from Sydney Smith, not even that mysterious illuminations on Wednesday it is suggested that | fulmination which fills the lay mind with terror. a display from the ships in harbour would add and which is called (though I believe there is much to the general effect.

POLICE COURT

27th March. BRFORE CAPTAIN R. MURBAY RUMSEY.

THE ALLEGED PIBACT CASE. Tse Kwai, fishmonger, was again brought up on remand charged with committing a piracy within the jurisdiction of China on the 29th December lest.

Sergeant Hanson, recalled, stated that the witnesses had no further evidence and he believed they would not appear. Witness was instructed not to apply for any further remand. His Worship accordingly discharged the de-

BAID ON A GAMBLING HOUSE.

with sake." he says enthusiastically. But Mortimer Bo Tat and Chik Kwai were charged keeping a public gambling house in Kat Sing Collins used to hit off the Positivists most hap-Alley on the 26th instant. Chan Ling Ti, P. C. 194, stated that about 9 p.m. on the 26th inst. he went to house No.] Tak Sing Lane. On the first floor he saw ever twenty men playing and gambling at a table. The first defendant was the manager and the second the accountant. Witness had no difficulty in entering the house and stayed there some minutes. When the Inspector came the

fendants were arrested. His Worship remanded the case till to-day, allowing bail in one surety of \$50. CHARGE OF ASSAULT AGAINST AN EXCISE

and a shopkeeper on the 27th inst.

in the witness's possession. but witness refused the persons around and to the profit of the invento let him have it, but offered to show him the tor of this novel method of earning a livelihood. contents, whereupon the defendant struck him in the face. Wong Tak Nam, a shopkesper in Kowloon pleted the ninth year of its existence, and in in-

that when the launch lauded its passengers, he the special inducement to every subscriber searched the complainant and found two boxes, paying annually in advance compons to the one empty and the other filled with opium. He value of Rs. 20 for ten free insertions of was going to take the complainant to the station an advertisement in our "Wanted." "For when the second complainant interferred, poking | Sale," and miscellaneous columns, so that those him with his umbrella and grabbing the opium who save us the trouble of dunning, and themopt of his hand and throwing it into the water, belves the annoyance of being dunned, for their before he searched the complainant.

defendant's statement.

BANGKOK

5th March.

Highnesses the Dake and Duchess of Connaught. a large crowd of admirers every afternoon. It Apostles. The last is named after the celebrat-The steamer conveying Their Royal High- is surprising how perfectly the men go through ed wooden three decker, which was sunk by the nesses will proceed through the Central Fair. the intricacies of the difficult tactios. Orders Russians at the mouth of Sebastopol harbour way direct to the Troop-ship Buoy in the Men- are obeyed with an alsority that would surprise some of the more celebrated cavalry men, and the When the steamer is passing. Green Island movements are executed with remarkable prethe Colonial Ensign (Blue) will be displayed cision. The officers deserve praise for the perfection to which they have brought this branch This will be repeated by a red Ensign at Ped. of the service. Those who question the efficiency grounds any day between three and six p.m. The display of these flags will be the signal His Majesty the King returned yesterday gaily decorated with flags and bunting. The ships were desked out in gala attire and every flegataff in the city, on public and private buildings, was dressed in honour of His Majesty's return. As the Royal Yacht passed up the river she was saluted on every side, flags dipping on river and shore, to which she responded. Bangkok Times.

OLLA PODRIDA.

Broker Lost everything on my recomfollowing special precantions have been taken for mendation! Oh don't say that Mr. Goit, the prevention of Fires during the night of the Look at the experience you've gained!" Little Willie-Is that the papa swan or the mamma swan f

Father-Which do you mean? pecked off the top of it's head, and that isn't allowed to have none of the biscuit, or nothing (Sadly)-" That's the papa swan, Willie."

The German Government are lesing no time in re-arming their infantry with their new repeating rifle. The Grade du Corps will be equipped with the new weapon at once, and Brown & Co., H. G.. the whole of the German army on the peace facting will be re-armed by April 1st. The whole China Sugar of the rifles have been made in Germany, so that Chinese Loan '84 D. the rifles made in Austria will be available for Chinese Loan '84 C... the reserves. Germany will thus be re-armed with the new weapon before any European Power.

Sir J. Crichton Browne has been lecturing at Birmingham on "Brain Growth," and giving figures as to the average weight of brain enjoyed by different races. Thus we have the following figures: The Scotch, 50 oz.; English, 49 oz.; the Germans, 48-3 oz; French, 479 oz. It is hard for the Englishman to find himself thus beaten by less than a H. H. L. Tramways... head, but he must console himself with the re- Hongkong Ice...... flection that, after all, it is quality as well as H. & K. Wharf & G. weight of brain which tells in the long run.

The Mahommedans of Bombay and Poons have promulgated a strong edict against the drama generally, all Mahommedans being struct. y forbidden to attend dramatic performances. For the first offence a fine of five rupees will be inflicted, for the second ten rupees, and on the commission of the third the offender will be expelled from the jamat and denied the rites of Mahommedan burial. Upwards of a hundred thousand Mahommedaus have already signified their compliance with the edict. The result to proprietors of native theatres, whose patrons hitherto have mostly been Mahommedans, will be most disastrous. The edict has been passed consequent upon a recent performance in Paris wherein the Prophet was impersonated.

The "Serpa Piuto" was the name of a new hat warranted of Portuguese make." Lisbon hatters had been selling it since they announced to the papers that they would buy nothing more from England, and their patrictism brought its reward with it, for the Serpa Pinto hat became the rage of Lisbon. Things were going on merrily when suddenly Liebon learned with some horror that the 'Serpa Pintos' were of English make-in fact, British from crown to rim. The Hatters' Union has published a protest against the conduct of a few renegade brothren, who by the sacrilegious use of the glorious Major's name have insulted all the sons of Portugal. They end up with a cry of " Down with the hats of pirate manufacture! long live the National | Hat Industry!"

At a little dinner at a New York restaurant one of the members of the party fished out from S'hai & H. Wharf ... The 100 Tis. 220 his pocket an ingenious contrivance which he said considerably lessened the miseries of life for mustached men. The affair had a steel shank about three inches long which fastened by a spring to the handle of his soup spoon. The other end of the shank supported a silver guard, which lifted his long, heavy mustache and held it out f the way while the contents of the spoon were emptied into his mouth. A touch of the finger on the handle end of the shank lifted the whole affair to an upright position, if he wished, so that the guard was not "in the soup" at all. When in place it was not connected with the bowl of the spoon, but was held by the shank about an inch from the edge.

I suppose Sydney Smith will always be cited just as he will always be known as the wittiest Benares (New)\$500 ... nething military about it) a Bishop's charge In 1835, when the Bishop of Chester issued charge to his clergy, scientily repreving them for their addiction, to country pursuits, and their jovial manner of living. Sydney Smith made a burlesque of his lordship's charge, which

Hunt not, fish not, sheet not, Dance not, fiddle not, flute not: But above all things it is my particular desire.

That choe at least in every week you take Your dinner with the Sanire In Mr. Mallock's "New Paul and Virginia we have a delightful illustration of the great Comptist doctrine of altruism, or the doing to another as one would be done by. "My curate," says the Professor, by way of making the new doctrine quite clear: "what I am en joying is the champagne that you drink, and what you are enjoying is the champagne that I drink. This is altruism-this is benevolence.

pily in his well-known lines :---If you are pious, mild form of insanity, Fall down and worship the mass of humanity. All other religious are buried in mists. We're our own gods, say the Positivists.

The curate at once becomes a convert to the

new creed: "I will drink another bottle for your

A new celebrity is making his appearance along the Paris boulevards. He is a well-dressed intelligent-looking youth, who saunters along the terrasses of the principal cafes, scanning the faces of the consummateurs until he catches sight of one that strikes his fancy. Doffing his hat politely, he thus accests the gentleman be has singled out: "Will monsiour be good enough to ask me any question he pleases re-Mohamed Bea; an Excise officer, was charged lating to the history of France, from the time with assaulting Che Hai Fong, a Chinese doctor, of Pharamond down to Napoleon-III. P. I cantell monsiour the day, even the hour, of the The complainant stated that he was a Chinese | birth, marriage, or death of any historical perdoctor living in Kowloon City. On the 27th sonage." In nine cases out of ten this walking inst. at 10 a.m. he came from Kowloon City encyclopedia has so well chosen his man that a launch and upon landing at the wharf, the "monsieur" thus addressed puts to him a the defendant searched him for opium, but he number of questions, all of which are answered found none. Defendant tried to open a purse correctly and instantly, to the astonishment of

The Indian Planters' Gasette has just com-City, stated that he came over in the same forming its readers of the fact says:—"? his launch as the first complainant.—Witness saw almighty journal is now nine years old, and it the defendant search and assault the complainant has to thank most warmly the constituency and when witness went up to them, the defend- whose generous support has allowed it to swim | Humidity so buoyantly." Afterwards it goes on to an... The defendant made a statement to the effect nonnce that, "We are now in a position to offer get the Indian Planters' Gazette for nothing. A Tok, another Excise officer, corroborated the So 'go it you orippies' and pay up sharp for the current year and thereby resp the reward of masfer'e large heartedness."

The Russian Government has concluded contracts with a British firm for the immediate laying down in England of two large ironolad Captain Moreson of the Austrian ship Leonora battle-ships. The war-ships now under conis mourning the less of a life-boat, two Japanese struction for Russia are: a fast belted cruiser of sailors whom he had shipped, and a few months' 10,000 tons: a protected cruiser similar to our wages which he had the misfortune to advance ships of the Pandora class; an ironolad battle-Under the provisions of Ordinance No. 10 of to them. The men lowered the boat on Thursday ship of 9,000 tons; an ironelad battle-ship of ironelad of 10.800 tons, called the Three Pat-The sabre drill of H. S. M's cavalry attracts ridroles; and a similar ironolad called the Twelve

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"LADY BRANKSMERE," "THE Duchess," &c., &c. Now First Published. CHAPTER XXXVII. "I sorrow and joy she had seen the beginning,"

It is a month or so later, and "mild October with its soft rich tints makes beautiful the lands cape. A rather sad beauty, perhaps, tinged deep sufficiently expressive to exclude the want of with melancholy, but yery lovely withal. "Then came the Autumn all in yellow clad, with its leaves of olm all golden, and the ruddy for money, position, rank, and all the thousand warmth of the dying beeches. The gone Sep- and one things that we believe go to make up tember had seemed more a parting touch of sum- the sum total of earthy prosperity, and when we mer-it was hard to connect it with a fading have got them, lo, they melt in our mouths, as it year; but with October thera is no difficulty in believing that dissolution is indeed near. A slow and kindly death, however, hour by hour, day by day. No unseemly haste, only a tentiously. tender sinking into the chill grave that awaits us all. Low on the bosom of Mother Earth, the says Penelope. "She is a good sailor, but those gorgeous leaves lie shivering, waiting until horrid boats have such a smell about them that

stronger resurrection by and bye to the young have a letter to be posted." spring grasses. "The air is damp, and, hush'd and close As a sick man a room when he taketh repore, An hour before death. My very heart faints and my whole soul gr eyes At the moist rich smell of the rotting leaves

And the breath

Of the fading edges of box beneath morning outside may have had comething to do the Latin task that should have been conquered with the depression visible on the countenances over night. written in Nan's fine distinct handwriting, has at all, at all ?" given them cause to give voice to it. "What a letter!" says Penelope, with a for-

lors sigh. "The worst yet, it seems to me, and I put me whole ear to it." hey lave all been bad." "There was that one dated from Florence. Wasn't that a little worse ?" asks Gladys with store of knowledge. hesitation, and as if not believing in her own

draw-well in Florence P"

Penelope with cold disgust. her eye over it. "Is her calling him, Mr. Mrs. Hume, I mane. May the saints give me Home. Did you notice? That's horrid, to my sines." thinking. 'Mr. Hume has just come into the "You'd want it," says William grimly "And room and desires me to send his love to you all. I hope they'll harry up about it, as I'm anxious Pray pardon my doing it. Mr. Hume! Bo to hear you explain yourself. What's the matter vulgar. Only dreadful people speak of their with Nan P busbands in that sort of way. It isn't nice, now "Say-sic is it, Pen P I do hope when she comes home she bad it is, I'm tould. What worse would ye be will call him 'scorge. If she doesn't there will wishin' her? I heard 'am talkin' jist now be rather more talk than there is already."

has ten thousand a year." with one of his loudest sports. "Anyhow, I hope Nan won't go about 'Mr. be glorious?" Huming 'him all over the place, It sets my teeth on edge "Nan had always good teste. Even this dignantly, "Ye're for all the world like an ould hateful marriage can't have entirely demoralised hen cackling."

her." savs Penglope "Then why Mr. Hume bim to us? That's to his sides. what puzzles me. Let me despise a man ever so much, I shouldn't be valger because of him." Murphy growing exceedingly wroth: "Y'ought "Neither will Nan," says Penelope, decisively, to be as smed of yerself, an yer eldest sisther.

on paper.; that's all."

Here she eighs off some of her indignation, and gives words to the rest. Well, you wouldn't catch me doing it! I think of all the big fools I've heard of. Nan is the biggest." "Really, Gladys," says Bartle, with all a brother's unbearable intelerance, "I wish you speak of Nan as a 'big fool' is to say what Tiptoe of expectation. In a last basty scrawl Nolly," with a glance at his youngest sister. "ought to be well whipped for saying."

"But I didn't say it!" protests Nolly, waking up, and shricking this protest at him in a chr treble, alive with wrath "I know that I merely said that if you po such a sentence together you would heartily deserve a good whipping." The severity in his tone is meant for Gladys, but is naturally sppropriated by Nolly, who waxes more and more

"What are you scolding me for?" demands price a bad bargain. she. "What have I done? I didn't call Nan. a fool. I wen't be scolded for things I didn't Penelope, turning from the window to speak to do. It isn't a bit fair, is it, Penelope ?'

would deserve a whipping." "Well, so would you," retorts Nolly, vague but "You are a very impertment little monkey," eays Bartle, angrily.

monotony of passionate childhood. breach, "Go up stairs to my room and see if I she will look." left the keys on my table. And go settly, so as not to disturb father." Nelly, reluctantly, as if sorry to leave the fray, gets sideways off her chair, and does as the is bid. "Father." says William; with a humph, Twould take more than that to put him out. Selfish old beggar." "Now, William, don't," says Penelope, in a at home."

little pained voice. Very well, I won't then, and to make sure of going about shabby. kesping my promise, I'll leave the room," says William, suiting the action to the word. "Yes, yes, he is right; father has taken poor old lively Nan again." Nan's unhappiness in a very cavaller fashion, sage Gladys, "Did I tell you, Bartle, what he all alive? She was the best of us. Always said to Penelope when she broke the news to ready for a laugh or a jest. And hardly ever a

there is one of you off my shoulders!" Whatever Bartle's indignant answer night was of dancing. Well well, that's all over." have been to this, is lost in another one, given sotto voce. "Oh | murdher! Isn't he the divil !" says merry Nan!" Mr. Murphy who has come in with some hot cakes sent up by Mrs. Moloney, the cook, who indistinct little frou-frou as of silken petitocats has had an inkling that the young ladies are in makes them turn, andlow spirite, and thus strives to enliven them;

and chairs the conversation flows on again, un pale "dowdy," ornshed Nan! Good heavens, onecked by his presence.
Poor Nan. I am afraid she will be sadly eltered when we see her. I quite dread the first and thrilling tone, rich in youth and spirits. meeting, and so soon now, next week. She has she is plainly delighted at the sensation she has may render herself and her people happy!" The next been really strong since that herrid fever caused. "Oh!" with a long-drawn sigh of answer seems far to seek. caught her in the spring, and I suppose all the deepest joy; and a little glad swaying of the body. The children are still in costasies, when a forry and misery since has upset her so much towards them-"Oh, girls!" that she will be skin and bone when she arrives." "I can fency her," says Gladys sadly. "Her they fly to her, and fling themselves bodily upon tion of her new gown. pretty colour all gone, and her face like a sheet her. There is no doubt about their eastery. "Oh, here is Mr. Hume!" cries she in a little

And her hig eyes bigger still," says Pens been staring out of the window at the evenue for lope. " Just shining out like stars from her the last hour." And her poor lips all pale and drawn, says happily. "Through the yard I came. I was

Gladys. And Oh. tearfully, "I hate to determined to steal a march upon you. I know think of it, how full of laughter she used to be." you are all well, because I cross examined one of the women up there, pointing airily in a Shares in the above Company bearing the following Nos. : can famoy her spirit quite crushed and her but is meant to last you to the Castle, " and she smile a thing of the past," "I shouldn't wonder if her hair was a little amongst you." Bomerhing, fells me that all her front teeth who is lost in a sea of amexement.

last paralysing touch

It inishes Henjy at all events. That youth dropped down upon them like so many damp clouds during the paralysing handsome slice of bread and butter.

Oh, I'm all right," says Mrs. Hums, brightly on which the FIRST CALL of \$15 per Share suddenly lays it down and gives way to a wild Now that I'm back with you all I mean. Oh!

Oh, I'm all right," says Mrs. Hums, brightly on which the FIRST CALL of \$15 per Share suddenly lays it down and gives way to a wild Now that I'm back with you all I mean. Oh! bowl of mingled fear and grief. He gurgles and Penny!" with another hug, "its grand to be unless the said Call, with Interest at the rate of name and only after a terrified examination on home again."

It will be only balf home, how, though, says 1889, be paid on or before the 15th of April to see Nan, "now, this minnit—at once—all at Gladys, who is evidently making a careful study next, the Shares will be dealt with by the Cononce !"-- under pain of instant expiration, as it of her,

the apple of his eye.

"Fency Nan's being here next Monday," says Gladys, who seems unable to think of anything "Not here; up at the Castle," corrects Pene-

How wonderful that sounds. Of course always knew Mr. Hume was in love with her: knew, too, he wanted to marry her. And yet I never thought of Nan as Grande Dame. Now that she is one. I am afraid she is very unhappy," says Pensiope, sadly. "Oh! wha good are riches? When we were all here to gother, poor as church mice. Nan was the gaves of the gay. Now"-she pauses, her emphasis

further exclanation. "It is true," says Gladys. "We keep asking were, and we have not even the pleasure of swallowing them." "Sic transit gloria mundi," says Bartle, sen-

"I do hope she wont have a bad passage," Nature first softens them by rains and delicate no one can be sure of escaping the worst sickness passes of her all-powerful hand, and then sends in the world. Murphy, twhere is William? them bodily into the world beneath, to give a Before he goes down to the college tell him "Yes, Miss," says Murphy, who has been

looking rather perplexed during the latter part of the conversation. He has been listening to it during a pretended arranging of the silver the sideboard, and not being sure of what he has heard is now consumed with curiosity. William Masther William! elucidation may lie with him Searching high and low he at last finds Wil-It is probable that the dull gray light of the liam in the schoolroom vainly trying to grasp

of the elder Delaneys as they sit round the break- " Masther William, come here aviok. Tell me fast table, but the letter in Penelope's hand, this. What's the manin'o' the word thransit, fact that he made me marry him against my will. "Eh ?" says William, rather lost in his Latin

"Thransit, me dear. Thransit was the word. "Oh, transit. Er-well-a passing," says William, after a severe struggle with his small " Fair ye have it," says Mr. Murphy admi-

ringly. Fega it isn't for nothing that they're Not so altogether on the murderous tack, I always whackin' ye in the school below. Ye'll think," says Bartle critically. "I don't think be a smart boy yet, with the blessing. Ob in that she made any allusion to 'Lady Audley's wisha! An' isn't it the terrible had thing en-Secret, or mentioned a bottomless well in rather tirely for her the crathure? An' she wid a uncomfortable closeness to a remark about stomach not worth a farthin'! Oh dear, oh Hume, This letter," pointing to the one in dear! An comin' back for the first time an Penelope's hand, "is suggestive. Do you think all! 'Tis raal ornel on her; tis thruly, I'm we ought to telegraph to Hume to avoid that thinking tis prayin we ought to be for her from this till Monday. You and Freddy Croker seem to find a fund Praying? For whom?" asks William,

of amusement in poor Nan's marriage," says growing interested. "Who on earth are you talking about ?" "What I can't bear," said Gladys abruptly, Arrab, who would it be but yer own sisther, taking the letter from Penelope and running o'course. Poor child! Poor Miss Nan! Poor

" Say-sickness, me dear. No less. An terrible

the dinin' room, an' Masther Bartle, says he, "Julia says people never talk when a woman | She'll have a sick thransit of a glorious Monday, says he. An' now Masther William. "Julia is so clever," says William the Gruff, tell me this. Why would the say be rough on the crathure if he's so cook sure the Monday will "Ha-ha-ha," roars William most unkindly "Wisha, what ails ye now," asks Murphy in

"Ho-ho-Lo." improves William, holding ou " Arrah, gu to the divil out of this," says Mr.

"I deresay she finds it hard to put the name on he ir road to be killed be the raging say. Oh, 27 ! but isn't boys miserable crathures Poor dear heart! How he has spoiled her There's no houldin' them when the spirit moves life for her," says Gladys, mournfully. "I'm 'em-an' its always a bad one. Here, get along unkind fate that had seized me?. No, indeed. Dressing Room to each BEDROOM, with all the sure it is had enough to be married at all, to wid ye down to yer school, and that ye may get give up one's liberty and gaiety and everything a good hiding is the higgest wish o' me heart. -but to find oneself tied to a wretch-.......Oh, Ye must be bad entirely to get a laugh out of the rain of yet mather's inside."

CHAPTER XXXVIII. Oh Nature, Nature, y u're enough To put a Quaker in a huff Or make a martyr grumble."

Mr. Murphy's" Glorious Monday," has dawned would study your manuscof speech a little. To at last, and everybody in Rathmore is on the Nan had given them to understand that sh would be with them about three o'clock, and now, already, that hour is striking. There had been ne suggestion in her letter of their meeting her at the Castle, a relief to the girls, as next to Nan herself they dread meeting Hume. The latter indeed has bit by bit grown to be a modern ogre in their estimation, with that old worthy insatiable malice, unlimited power, unniterable cruelty, nails, teeth, hair, and beard, and every.

thing complete. Unique, in fact, though at any "She may be here at any moment!" gay Gladys. The others have all dispersed; the "Who's scolding you P" roars Bartle. "I'm children, sorely against their will, having been only saying that if you did say so and so, you consigned to the care of Mrs. Moloney, with a request that she will see that they do not soil the new pinafores specially made by Penelope in honour of Nan's return.

"I quite dread it." says Glades. "Don't you The meeting her, I mean. I can just fancy ... So are you," says Nolly, in the well-known how she will look." "A word expresses it," says Penelope, with "Nolly." says Penelope, rushing into the sorrowful conviction. "Crushed! that is how

"Yes, inwardly and outwardly; I cannot bear to think of her as—dowdy!" "That will be hard on her. Because I fee, sure from the way she writes that she won't touch a penny of his money. And I don't blame her either. Well, we must only try to help her there; she can have as much as she used to have when

"And serve him right, too, if he sees his wife "It will break down her spirit, however. can't prevent that. She will never be our dear

"Do you remember how she used to keep us him? No? Well, Thank Heaven, said he, cross word for the children, no matter how troublesome they might be. And how fond she left in the yard, the better to steal a march on Don't speak of her as if she was dead," says Penelope, with a little shiver. "Oh, poor, pretty Something—a slight noise behind them—an

Is this Hume's viction P .: Is this radiant As nobody minds Murphy more than the tables creature, clad in the latest Parising frock, the what is the meaning of it all !.. "Here I aml" ories Mrs. Hume in a fresh-

"It's you. It is really you," ory they, and

So you have come? But how? We have nervous whisper "Whilst I came in by the back way!" laughing SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COM-

said there wasn't so much as a out finger "And-and you?" asks Penelope, hesitatingly. will have fallen out," says Battle, putting to a Can is merry, lovely girl be the doleful

It takes judged, quite a considerable time to bere every day, and have you up with me besides. console him, and not until he is comfortably per. He can't spoil all that, anyway? chod, on Bartle's knee with the sugar bowl at a The girls change colour. After a desperate convenient dis ance does he consent to mit ate, encounter with her wits, Penelope manages to the ardour of his wos:

"Twould be hard to bate him at a screech,"

"And and how some he?" says she, in a falter.

"The rule, who has been much concerned ing tone, the usually lowered tone that one adopts

"Tor Gentlemen Resident Boarders of during the late encounter, Master Henjy' being when speaking of the hopelessly disgraced, Beast !" says Mrs. Hume, promptly.

At this the younger girls once again interchange looks, and finally give it un. "Oh," says Gladys, "seeing you—hoaring you—we thought—Of course, until this moment, we knew you could not possibly ... But you look so well, so happy, that now we hoped

You can hope as much as you like," says Mrs. Huma, sturdily, "Bub you'll never see what you hope for. How could you, when you remember everything ?" There, is an awkward pauce after this, that breatens to be lengthened, but for Gladyswho, having been born with a full sense of the Indicrons, suddenly gives way to a stifled laugh. "Anyway," says she, irrepressibly, "He bean't check either your spirit or your dress-

Indeed. Nam is in such full feather, and so well gowned, that it is quite a treat to look at here "No," says she, "Why PW hat did you think?" "Nothing. : Nothing at all," interrupts Fenclope. "Come over here, and sit by the fire, and tell us everything. You can't think how we 66 ARAIGELLACHIE,"

"And as for me, well I just lived on the thoughtiof getting back," says Nan; and indeed. one might well believe her. Her very eyes seem to laugh, and the whole air is full of a sweet

"Where are the boys ?" asks she. "I've got so many things for them. But they were too. big to bring in the carriage, and I had them behind me. They must come to the Castle to get them: And as for you --- Gladys, do you remember a colour you used to fancy, a sort of electric blue-well-I've got you such a pretty velvet freck just that shade; and another for you, Penny, only yours is paler, ato mit your hair. And where are my Nolly and Henry !" "They are with Moloney. Let them stay with her a moment, Nan." says Penelope, de-

sporately (".I we must sponk to you." "What's the good of it I says Nan, dejectedly. "All the talking in the world won't alter the But I suppose it must be gone over. Wasn't it a shameful trick he played me? Who would forgive it? Not I for one."

"Nor I, for another," says Gladys. "You don't speak, Pen," says Nan, reproachfully. Penelope reddens. "It is only—that as he isn't unkind to youas be is actually kind," says she, glaucing at Nan's beautiful costume—" It has occurred to me that love should be blamed, not he. However," hastily. "that does not blind me to the fact that you are unhappy. We all feel for, and with you. Oh! Nancy, darling, it must be dreadful to have to live one's whole life with a man one hates. We must all try and love you twice as much as |-ever, to make up to you for it, in a small way."

was your having to go on a tour with him. To be alone with him must have been worse than anything. And for a month or more; and all through Switzerland. How detestable it must have been." "Yes, yes," says Penelope, with deepest sympathy. To spend day after day with a man who had proved himself so base. I should think von often wished yourself dead."`

"What seemed to me so bad," says Gladys,

"I didn't," says Mrs. Hume slowly, who is looking at them with a growing surprise in her "No. Then that was very good of you," says Penelope. "Never mind, darling,"-caressingly-"you'll be better now you have us again. We'll back you up on every occasion. Ite shan't feel that you are friendless ever again. And by degrees, no doubt, you will try and forget that

shocking journey.'

"But what a pity that it should be so remembered," says Gladys regretfully. "To see all | 1890, those delicious places that we would give our eyos to see, and can't, and then to hate them; to feel every hour a burden; not to enjoy one's self at all. Ob, it is cruel! Mrs. Hume, who has been staring at them lankly, now breaks in. "Is that how you took it?" says she, in a little dismay, tempered with kindly contempt. You were wrong then: Do you imagine that was so highly strung, such an orthodox heroine

that lay ready, to my. hand, all because of the ling the Harbour and Ly-ee-moon. BATH and I was, and am "-with a little angry frown, "determined to get all the good I can out of the Tennis Court and 2 of an Acre of Ground. life that has been forced upon mar. I went with -with him to Switzerland, and I tell you now? -rather defiantly- that I never enjoyed myself so much in my life as when I was there. It "-enthusiastically, and as if for the moment forgetful of her grievances, and thinking only of her past delight-" it was all heavenly. My only regret was that you could not share my happiness. Who is he?"—haughtily—"that you should imagine be had power to check my pleasure in the beauties that nature spread be-

This is taking such an extremely high tone such a remarkabe reading of the difficulty that Penelope and Gladys feel themselves left without a word to say. An awkward pause ensues with which they hardly know what to do: but which is mercifully terminated by the entrance of the two youngest children-who instantly precipitate themselves upon Nan. "Oh. Nanny. And you're not changed a bit," cries Henjy, standing on tiptes and staring eagerly into her face. "Penny said you'd be like a glost, and that your eyes would be starting out of venr head; and your hair would be white and Cartle said your toeth would be all

"And Gladys said you wouldn't have a rag to your back," says Nully, glaring deflan; at the crushed Gladys over Nan's shoulder. They said they knew you wouldn't touch a penny of

"Nolly, hold your tongue," exclaims Pene lope in a tone of such sharp anger, that, coming from her-the usually meek and mild-it drives even the irrepressible Norah to silence. "Nousense! Don't scold her," says Nan. Of course, I can see now how you would all lock at it, but you'll understand in time. I'm not the sort of person to go in rags,"-with a little laugh-"if it is possibly to be avoided. And because he has made me unhappy, am I still

further to martyrise myself P. Come, let us talk sense, whatever we do. Children; to begin with you," laughing more naturally this time-"what does conso mean ? Sweeties, toys, cakes. eh? Well, they are all in the carriage that brought me here. I wonder where it is " Here it is. I hear the wheels scrunching in the gravel," cries Henjy, hysterically. "Hurry out, and bring them in.

And, indeed, the brougham that she had her sisters, now drives slowly up to the half door, whereupon there is a regular stampede on the part of all, and a return in a few minutes with all their arms heavily laden. Never were children girls! What a terrible girl she will be who knows berself indifferent to a new frock! At present she does not exist. Through Penelope's mind, however, one

presents itself in many different forms, the chief one being- When a man is a monster, what shadow falling through one of the windows causes Gladys to look up from her delighted contempla-

thought runs. It is a sort of conundrum, and

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Hsip-vn. Chinese str., 874, Andrew, Mar. 20, C. M. S. M. Co. Jos. G. Scammel, Brit. sh., 1,411. Bolt. Mar. 8. Kiang-pian, Ohi, 94', M. v 20, C. M. S. N. Co. Kiaperteen, Chivese str., 1368, Fratt, Jan. 2, C. M. S. N. Ca. Kuling, British str., 304, John en, April 24. Gibb. Livings on & Co. wang-lee, Chinese str., 1.508, Liccoln, Mar. 18, C. M. S. N. Co. Melbourne, French str., 2,039, Vimont, Mar. 11, Messageries Maritimes Nansime, British bark, 196, Newby, Feb. 20, S. C. Farnham & Co. Pekin, British str., 2,21, Batten, March 20, Butterfield & Swire Pekin, British str., 2,133, Harris, March 8, P. & O. S. N.-Co. Nippon Yuson Kaisla Sarpedon, British str., 1, 95, Barwise, Mar. 20 Butterfield & Swire Stentor, British str., 1,266; Milligan, Mar. 17 Butterfield & Swire To nin, Chinese str., 938, Warwick, March 10, Villars, Fr. cruiser, Capt. Mayet, at Shanghai C. M. S. N. Co. Vipere, Fr. g. bt., 4 guns, 100 h.p., Capt. Gaudet, Wen how, British str., 558, Bines, March 18,

Jardine, Matheson & Co. TIENTSIN. In Port on 15th March, 1880. Chinese Cygnet, British Jark, 409, Mackenzie, Mar. 5, Chintung, Chinese str., 902, Winsor, Mar. 15, Hac-an, Chinese str., 875, Andrew, Mar. 14, Hever, German str., 38°, Dethlefser, March 1 Wm. F rbes & Co. Miris-yn, Chinese str., 874, Andrew, March 14, C. M. S. N. Co. Kungpai, Chinese str., 602, Clifford, March 10 U. M. S. N. Co. Peiping, Chi. str., 936, Watt, Mar. 14, Chinese | Singapore Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. Eugineering and Mining Co. Wuchang, British str., 800, Vatloo, Mar. 15 Butterfield & Swire NAGASAKT.

In Port on 19th March, 1890.

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Browns & Co.

Yangtese, Ger. str., Sl., Tonningsen Mar. 20,

· Butterfield & Swire

Siemssen & Co.

SHIPPING IN PORT.

KOBE. In Port on 18th March, 1890. Craigmore, British str., 986, Vivian, Feb. 22, Adamson, Bell & Co. Emily Reed, Amr. sh., 1,565, Sheldon, Mar. II, Smith. Baker & Co. Henry Failing, Ame, stap, 1,927 Medrian, Feb 16, Isanc & Bros. Higo-maru, Jap. str., 88# Thompson, March 5, Nippon Yusen Kaisha John A. Brings, Amr. sh., 2,110, Balneb, Mar. 11, C. & J. Trading Co. McBeth, British etr., 687, Fisher, Jan. 2, F.

McLaurin, Amr. ship, 1,168, Little, March 9. H. Musashi Maru, Jap. str., 1,693, Payne, Mar. 2, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Mar. 16, Nippen Yusen Kaisha. W. G. Davis, Amr. ship, 1,589, Prince, Jan. 16, C. & J. Trading Co.

YOKOHAMA. In Port on 17th March, 1890. Arotic, British sch., 50, W. P. Pyne, Nov. 12. Bentin Ban, Swedish sch., 40, Macquric, Nov. Messageries Maritimes, for Europe. Enos donle, Amr. bark, 1,443, J. E. Ballard, Nov. I. Mourilvan, Heimann & Co.t -Filintshire, Britishistr., 1,870, Pavis, Mar 12,"

Adamson, Boll-& Co. Nemo, British soh., 116, Snew. Mar. 15, Captain. Kiungehow, British str., 28, W. S. McIver, Niebe, German str., 1,666, Pfaff, March 15, Simon Evers & Co. Frazar & Co. Satsuma, British bark, Swei son Feb. 28, Soon

Varatah, British sch., 262, W. Krause, Mar. 17. — Wm. H. Macy. Amr. ship, 2,092, J. A. Amsbury, Feb. 15. C. & J. Trading Co. Yokohama Maru, Jap. str., 2,305, Swain, Mar. 14, Nipron Yusen Kaisha

MANILA, In Port on 18th March, 1890. Alex. Yests, British ship, 1,589, Dunkam, Sept. 8. Masleoù & Co. Diam ate, British str., 514, Taylor, March 17, Warren, Blod. ett .v Co. Pilot Fish, British str., 117, Stopani, H. & W. Minister of Marine, British ship, 1,648, M. Laughin, Aug. 12, W. F. Stevenson & C. F. L. Roman A. de Saavedra Zabina Goudee, British bark, 1,0-7, Johnson,

> Jan. 23, Smith, Bell & Co. HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON... Alsority, d.s. steel despatch hoat, 4 guns, 3,150 h.p., Com. R. B. Maconochie, at Hong-'archne, cervette, 14 guns, 1,410 h.p., Sir W Wiseman, Bart, at Hongkong isk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, 340 h.p., in reserve, at Hangkong izebrand, composite gunboat, 4 guns, 460 h.p., Lieut. om. Denison, at Tientsin Ivacinth, ornisor, 8 nuns, 1,190 h.p., Capt. R. W. Graigie, at Hongkong-Imperiouse, d. s. ecuisor, 10 gans, 10,000 h.p., Capt. Wm II. May, at Hongkong Leander, orgiser, 10 guns, 5,000 h.p., Capt. Burges Watson, at Hongkong Linnet, gunb at, 5 guns, 1,050 h.p., Com. P. R. . Smythes, at Shanghai dutine, composite sloop, 10 guns, 1,120 h.p., Com. J. H. Martin, at Yokohama Pigmy, gunboat, 6 guns, 1,200 h.c., Lieut.-Com. Hewett, at Singapore Plover, gunboat, 6 guns, 1,200 h.p., Lieut, Com. Rason, at Hongkong Porpoise, steel torpedo orgiser, 6 guns, 3,500 h.p., Com. R. W. White, at Hongkoug Rattler, compositeg-1 t, 6 guns, 1,200 h.p., Lieut. Com. Maitland D ugail, at Hongkon? Severn, craiser, 12 gane, 6,000 h.p., Capt. W. Il. Hall, at Hongkong Solout, torpedo mining launch, at Housekong Swift, double-se-sw w.-v.; 2 gans, 1.010 hp.,

Com. Hop. R. Bingham, at Canton Tweed, double-screw, no vessel, 3 guns, 340 h.p., in reserve, at Henchong Viotor Emanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Commedore E. J. Church, at Hongkong Wanderer, composite Bloop, 3 gun , 750 h.p.; Cou. G. A. Giffard, at Shanghai Wivern, turret ironolad, 4, 1,450, in reserve.at Hongkeng. FUREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE -CHINA AND JAPAN STATION. Admiral Kernilow, Russsian erniser, Capt. Aledesieff, at Hongkong kdmiral Nakhimoff, Russian ornisar, 50 gune. Capt. De Livran, at Nagasaki Aragon, Spanish cruiser, 14 guns, 2,600 h.p. Capt. D. E. Zulungs, at Manile Aspic, French gunboat, 1 guns, Capt. Malaport, at Dainhoner Bobre, Russian cruiser, 13 guns, 1,100 h.p. Capt. Merschikoff, at Chemulpo. Chasseer, French ; unboat, Capt. Bugard, at Comete, French annboat, Lieut. Mariel, at Hainboi g

Iltis, German gunboat, 4 gans, 4,340 h.p., Capt. ascher, at Hongkong Korevetz, Russian gunbest, Capt. Osteletsky. at Vla iivostaak Kreyseer, Russian corvette, 6 guns, 1,205 h.j., Capt. Bezobr zoff, at Manila Lenzie. German oruiser, Capt. Pluddemann. at Hongkong Lutin, French gent, Com. Nenny, at flaiphong Mandjur, Rus. cruiser, 7 guns, t apt, Tchouknin. at Sharghai Mon oscy, amr. gun-vessel, 6 guns, Lient. Com. Reisinger, at Swatow Nayesduik, Russian orniser. 9 guns. 253 h.p., Capt. Zarine, at Viadivostock Omaha, Amr. corvette, 12 guns, 1,150 h.p., Capt. F. V. McNair, at Yokohamal Palos, Amr. gunboat, 6 guns, 500 h.p., Lieut,-· Com. J. E. Craig, at Chicking l'araeval. French cruiser, Capt. Fourest, at Pluvier, French g-bt., Capt, Foret, at Haiphong Rio Lima, Portuguese g-bt., 3 guns, 100 h.p., Capt. J. B. Santa Barbera, at Timor Soudr , French g-bi., Capt. Raoul, at Saigon Sivoutob, Russian cruiser, 18 guns, Capt. Surief, -at Shanghai Salkio Maru, Japonese str., 1,358, Conner, Mar. | Sophie, German ruiser, Capt. Herbing, at Hong-

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Tejo, Portuguese g-bt., Cart. Carlos de Magal-

Vostock, Rus. r-bt., f guns, Com. Molchousky

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